Applicant(s): Terence W. Barrett

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COMMUNICATIONS LINKS METHOD

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231 Attention: Box Missing Parts

Sir:

This is in response to a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR 1.53(f). Enclosed is a copy of said Notice and the following documents and fees to complete the filing requirements of the above-identified application.

- (X) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. The above-identified application is the same application which the inventor executed by signing the enclosed declaration. The applicant is entitled to small entity status.
- (X) Statutory basic filing fee
- (X) Utility \$355.00 () Design
- () Additional claim fees of \$
- (X) Missing Parts Surcharge \$65.00
- () A Petition for Extension of Time for reply to Notice of Missing Parts is attached.
 - () one month (\$55.00)
 - () two months (\$195.00)
 - () three months (\$445.00)
 - () four months (\$695.00)

Respectfully submitted,

At any time during the pendency of this application, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account. No. 26-0090.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 345 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 410.

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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